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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I chose a competitive provider because I felt that the lack of competition over many years has stifled innovation and increased rates for consumers.

I had AT&T for a number of years for DSL and their customer service, technical support and sales were all terrible. I was often charged high prices for sub par service.

I use Sonic and they are above and beyond any other service of this type that I have ever used. There needs to be competition in the free market to provide value for consumers. Without competition, the two big companies, AT&T and Comcast can do what they want without fear of retribution from consumers. I want to have my money work for a company that wants to work for people.

Thanks for your consideration.

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